Telephone connection at Vaikom.

76. *MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware of the difficulties experienced by the people of Vaikom due to the want of telephone connections there and to state the action taken thereon?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA K. P. PADMANABHA MENON: Yes. The work of extension of telephone service to Vaikom has been arranged for execution and early completion.

Hydro-Electric Scheme.

77. *MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have decided to start a hydro-electric scheme in South Travancore?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA K. P. PADMANABHA MENON: No.

MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: May I know from the honourable member whether the Kallar Electric Scheme was entered into in the regime of Dewan Bahadur Raghaviah?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA K. P. PADMANABHA MENON: That does not arise out of this question.

MR. T. K. NARAYANA PILLAI: May I know from the honourable member whether any investigation has been made on this subject?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA K. P. PADMANABHA MENON: Yes.

Pallivasal Hydro-Electric Scheme.

78. *MR. P. S. NATARAJA PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to give the following information *re* Pallivasal Hydro-Electric Scheme:—

(*a*) P. H. E. Scheme (Electrical)—
(i) total capital investment to the end of the year 1119;
(ii) expenses and maintenance charges for the year 1119;
(iii) gross receipts during the year 1119;
(iv) simple interest for the capital outlay for the year 1119;
(v) net gain or loss for the year 1119;

(*b*) P. H. E. Scheme (Civil)—
(i) total capital investment to the end of the year 1119;
(ii) expenses and maintenance charges for the year 1119;
(iii) gross receipts for the year 1119;
(iv) simple interest for the capital outlay for the year 1119;
(v) net gain or loss for the year 1119;
(vi) the budget heads of expenditure with the respective amounts under each head;

(*c*) the gross receipts of the P. H. E. Project under the following heads:—
(i) Sale of energy for lights and fans;
(ii) Do. for domestic purposes;
(iii) Do. for cinemas;
(iv) Do. for street lighting;
(v) Do. for agricultural purposes;
(vi) Do. for industrial purposes;
(vii) Do. in bulk under special contracts

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